

# **Ban Asbestos Now**

## **Top 10 Reasons to Ban Asbestos**

- 10. Most people wrongly THINK asbestos was banned.**
- 9. Banning asbestos will raise awareness about this ongoing environmental and public health threat.**
- 8. Deadly asbestos is already in millions of homes and buildings – why add more?**
- 7. Banning asbestos will bring certainty to builders, manufacturers, and environmental cleanup firms.**
- 6. Asbestos is heavily marketed to developing nations. A U.S. ban will strengthen international efforts for a worldwide ban.**
- 5. More than 30 countries have already banned asbestos.**
- 4. There are plenty of safe substitutes for asbestos like cellulose, fibrous glass and ceramics.**
- 3. EPA spent 10 years and over \$10 million writing regulations to ban asbestos in 1989. Today, 14 years later, asbestos is still not banned and still not safe.**
- 2. To solve asbestos liability issues in the long run, we need to stop producing asbestos-tainted products now.**
- 1. Asbestosis, Mesothelioma, Lung Cancer . . .**

**ASBESTOS KILLS**